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Mr. David Waddell
Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
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Re: Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and MGC Communications d/b/a Mpower Communications Corporation Pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.
Docket No. 00-01002

Dear Mr. Waddell:

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. is hereby submitting to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority the original and thirteen copies of the attached Motion for Withdrawal of Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and MGC Communications d/b/a Mpower Communications Corporation. The Amendment contains an incorrect reference to the name of the corporation. Counsel for Mpower concurs with the filing.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,



Guy M. Hicks

cc: Mr. Henry Walker
Mr. John Kerkorian, Mpower Communications Corp.

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
Nashville, Tennessee

In Re: *Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and MGC Communications d/b/a Mpower Communications Corporation Pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996*

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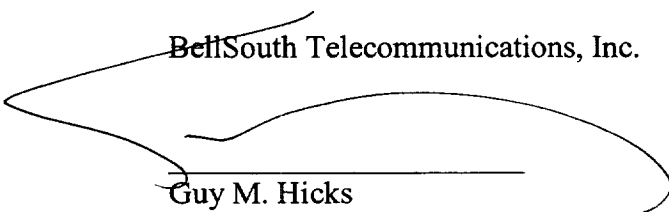
**MOTION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF AMENDMENT TO THE
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") hereby moves to withdraw the Petition for Approval of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between MGC Communications d/b/a Mpower Communications Corporation ("Mpower") and BellSouth filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority on November 7, 2000.

The purpose of the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement was to change the name of the company. The Amendment contains an incorrect reference to the name of the company. Mpower concurs with this motion.

Therefore, BellSouth requests that the Petition be withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 17th, 2001 a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via U. S. Mail, postage pre-paid, addressed as follows:

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